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THE HISTORY OF SECONDARY EDUCATION IN THE UNITED STATES. I.

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[At different stages in the preparation of this bibliography, I have been assisted by these students in Pedagogy in the University of California: Albert W. Gunnison, A. M.; Miss Vida Redington, B.S.; Miss Fanny D. Ball, A.B.; and by Miss Kate M. Wertz, Ph.B., Fellow in Pedagogy for the year 1893-4. I shall be much indebted to anyone who will call my attention to publications which should have a place in such a list and have been omitted in this. For some portions of the country I have thus far been unable to secure any account whatever of the beginnings and the progress of secondary education. In view of the fullness and the literary excellence which characterize the accessible accounts of secondary schools in some portions of New England, I am constrained to echo the saying of President Draper: What other states need "is the help of Massachusetts men to tell the story."—E. E. B.

The following abbreviations are employed:

Am. Ed. Hist. for Contributions to American Educational History, edited by Herbert B. Adams.

Am. Inst. Instr. for The Papers Read before the American Institute of Instruction, with the Journal of Proceedings.

Am. Journ. Ed. for [Barnard's] the American Journal of Education.

Circ. Inf. for Circular of Information of the United States Bureau of Education.

N. A. Rev. for the North American Review.

Proc. N. E. A. for the Journal of Proceedings and Addresses of the National Educational Association.

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